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The Progress and Prosperity of the Penny Press.

With Captain BOBAIL, in BEN. JOHNSON'S comedy, we have not a particle of sympathy; in plain English, we like not boasting; but our duty to our readers and patrons prompts us to make a statement or two touching the PENNY PRESS and its condition.

So brief has been our journalistic life, so rapid our progress, that not many persons are aware of the position we have reached or the success we have accomplished.

Our little bark, though launched on the 23d of February, 1859, did not come under its present management until the latter part of June, and yet it now sails swiftly and securely upon the sea of public favor. Already we have passed the rocks and shoals where so many older and larger vessels have been wrecked, and with steamers flying, our sails are bellying with prosperous breezes.

To drop an effete metaphor, our circulation is now larger than that of any daily, save one, perhaps, in the city, having gone very considerably above eight thousand, with a rapidly increasing subscription list, which promises to swell to eleven or twelve thousand ere the present year has ended.

Our advertising is much larger than our most sanguine hopes had led us to expect, and our issue frequently shows three and four columns of new advertisements on each succeeding day. So liberal has been our patronage in this particular that we have sometimes been compelled to ask our patrons for the delay of a day or two until the pressure was over. This proof of our popularity has interfered with our editorial and reading matter, rendering the daily omission of two or three columns absolutely necessary.

Respecting our circulation, we can safely say that that of no one of our contemporaries is more general. The PENNY PRESS goes into the cottage of the mechanic, and the dwelling of the merchant, the studio of the artist, and the closet of the scholar. It is daily read in the market and on the cars, at the street-corners and the hotels, on the steamboat and in the counting-house; thus reaching every kind and class of people, and furnishing, therefore, the best possible medium for advertising.

Our country subscribers are numerous, every edition of the PENNY PRESS circulating largely in Columbus, Xenia, Dayton, Middletown, Hamilton, Indianapolis and all other points within a radius of one hundred and fifty miles accessible by rail.

We make these statements in no vaunting spirit; they are simply facts—not stubborn ones, we trust—and we feel gratified and proud that we have so timely fallen in with a public requirement and been enabled to give, as we must believe we have given, our numerous friends satisfaction.

The PENNY PRESS will and must advance, and continue to grow in prosperity; and as we do so, we shall improve and enlarge our dimensions, and that speedily, from present appearances, to accommodate all—readers and contributors, editors and patrons alike, in the rich-promising future.

Lecturers of Celebrity.

On Tuesday and Thursday of next week there will be two lectures of some present and historic celebrity before the Young Men's Mercantile Library Association—we mean Hon. HENRY S. FOOTE and Hon. FRANK P. BLAIR, jr. On Tuesday evening the latter named gentleman will deliver an address on "Colonization and Commerce." Mr. B. has achieved some reputation in Congress, and will be heard with intense interest by many who respected and honored his father, "BLAIR of the Globe," as he was called, from fifteen years arduous devotion as editor in Washington City. It was to him that Gen. JACKSON wrote, "I approve your course, if nobody else does; and if nobody else will stand by you, ANDREW JACKSON will." And again, "This may be the last letter I may be able to write to you, but live or die, I am your friend, and leave my papers and reputation in your keeping." The son of the man who was deep in the confidence, high in the respect and near to the heart of Gen. JACKSON, will be warmly received in Cincinnati.

Young BLAIR was born at Lexington, Ky., in 1821, is a graduate of Princeton College, is a lawyer, was a member of the Missouri Legislature in 1852-4, and was a member of the Thirty-fifth Congress, from St. Louis. His topics are one of his favorite subjects of discussion and will draw a large audience.

Hon. HENRY S. FOOTE was born in 1800, in Fauquier County, Va., was educated in Washington College of that State, is a lawyer, settled in Alabama in 1824, in two years afterwards removed to Mississippi, was Governor of that State, and in 1847 was elected U. S. Senator, where he held the distinguished place of Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations. He acted with the American party in California, and now resides in Nashville, Tenn. His subject is the "The Patriot President."

Two Railroad Tracks on East Front-Street.

There is a serious opposition along one portion of East Front-street to the occupation of that avenue by another railroad track. The City Council had, however, assigned that street to the Pendleton and Fifth-street Market Street Railroad Company before the remonstrances now filed were presented. Perhaps, if the City Council should make such a request, the Little Miami Railroad Company would relay their track, placing it several feet nearer the curb on the river side of East Front-street, giving room for the ordinary travel between it and the track of the street railroad. Let there be a pacification. The people of the East End with a street railroad. It is our impression that laboring men would resort to the hill-sides of the Seventeenth Ward and Spencer Township for cheap homes if the proposed railroad was in daily use. We have favored the horse railroads in the West End, and now we urge progress in that enterprise in the East End.

The Cincinnati Book Trade.

The estimate made of the issues of the book publishers of this city for the past year is three and a half millions of copies. The school-book publications are very numerous, the character of the works being the best. The trade abroad can rely upon the stocks in hands of our dealers.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Arrival of the Vigo.

NEW YORK, November 23.—The steamship *Vigo*, which sailed from Liverpool on the 9th and from Queenstown on the following day, arrived here this morning. It is now asserted that the statement that England and France had settled the basis of the proposed Congress in at least premature. A Berlin dispatch of the 8th inst. says that at the interview held at Breslau the Emperor of Russia and the Prince Regent of Prussia determined not to consent to a revision of the treaties of 1815, nor to take part in any Congress in which England would not be represented, the last resolution being proposed by Prussia.

Great Britain.—The weather continued very stormy, and several gales had again proved most disastrous to shipping off the coast. Many vessels, with their entire crews, had been lost, and the mail packet service with the continent had been greatly impeded. The Prince and Princess Frederick William of Prussia had arrived in England on a visit to Queen Victoria.

The Times editorially criticizes the *Great Eastern*, and throws great doubts out on her being able to fulfill all that has been promised by her. The vessel is pronounced defective in propelling power.

The official correspondence between England and Spain is published in the London *Gazette*. Spain declares that she will not continue to hold Tangiers or any part of the Morocco Coast that will give her a superiority that would be dangerous to the navigation of the Straits, after a treaty of peace is signed.

FRANCE.—Preparation in France for the Chinese expedition continues with great activity. One authority says that eight thousand men will probably take their departure during the last fortnight in December. It is understood that the French and English governments, which for a moment differed in opinion as to the scale of the joint expedition to China, are now in complete accord, and that the general military basis of their co-operation has been agreed upon.

A European force larger than that which has yet been seen in China, and equal to any service that will be required of it, will appear in the Peiho in the spring.

It is asserted that the French forces on the Morocco frontiers were being drilled by cholera. General Issut and a Colonel of Zouaves are reported dead, making in all six superior officers who have fallen victims to the disease.

ITALY.—The substance of the reply of King Victor Emmanuel to the Emperor's letter is reported to be to this effect: That if the Emperor of the French is bound by the Convention of Villafranca, the King of Sardinia is also bound by the wishes of his people.

The *Drift*, of Turin, announces that the greatest part of the Piedmont loan had been subscribed for by the first banking houses of Turin, Genoa, Parma, Modena, Leghorn, Florence and Bologna. The trading community of Milan had subscribed 25,000,000 francs.

One version of Victor Emmanuel's response to Napoleon's letter is that he tells the Emperor he will not adhere to the Congress to the policy of France, touching the restoration of the dynasty, but he will promise not to give any armed aid to Central Italy as long as there is no military intervention there by any other power.

SPAIN.—There is a vague report that a mutiny had broken out among the Spanish troops collected at Algiers, but it lacks confirmation.

Details of the Loss of the Indian.

SACKVILLE, November 23.—The *Indian* struck on a sea ledge on Monday last. She had on board thirty-eight passengers, one hundred seamen, eight hundred tons cargo, and some specie. Half an hour after striking she parted amidships. The passengers and crew took to the boats. One of the boats capsized, and several persons drowned; another was stove in when alongside of the steamer. Two other boats with passengers and sailors on board drifted to sea, and have not since been heard from. The schooner *Alexander* arrived at Halifax yesterday, with twenty-four persons rescued from the wreck. The number of lives lost is not known yet. The schooner *Lutea*, which went to the assistance of the *Indian*, was wrecked on the breakers; all of the crew were saved.

Report Contradicted.

HARRISBURG, November 23.—The report that Governor Parker had tendered to Governor Wise the services of 10,000 men to guard the line between Maryland and Virginia is a hoax. No such tender was made to Governor Wise, nor did he make any such reply as stated in the dispatch.

From Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 23.—Rev. Dr. Talbot, of this city, who was elected Missionary Bishop of the North-west at the Episcopal Convention recently held at Richmond, Va., announced yesterday to his congregation his determination to accept that office. He will not leave here for some time.

Arrival of the Africa.

NEW YORK, November 23.—The steamship *Africa*, from Liverpool on the 12th inst., has been signaled below. She will arrive up at about 4 o'clock this afternoon. Her arrival is the same date as those furnished by the *Cincinnati* at Newfoundland.

The Victoria Bridge.

MONTREAL, November 24.—The first train of cars ran over the Victoria Bridge this afternoon. Two of the tubes are not quite completed, but it is expected that the bridge will be fully completed and thrown open to the public about the middle of December.

Great Inducements to Men of Letters.

A Cleveland paper offers "ten dollars for the best story, not to exceed eight columns in length, which must be written by a subscriber." Who that has ever employed a pen or is possessed of creative genius, will not make an effort to gain this splendid prize? We suppose the Cleveland editors would probably pay five cents apiece for Longfellow's or Bryant's poems, provided they would agree to become their subscribers.

The Cleveland editors remind us of the Hoosier who visited the Crystal Palace, and after looking at Powers's Greek Slave, Eve and the Fisher Boy, said they were "purty things, and that he'd take the whole lot." Being asked what he thought was the price, said "about nine or ten dollars." When informed the works of art were valued at \$5,000 or \$7,000, he remarked: "You're jokin', ain't you, stranger? If you ain't, statutory must 'ave ris in these parts."

A DISORDERLY LANDLORD.—The keeper of a public-house, in New York, one Freeman, has been arrested several times of late for overcharging his customers; advertising board at one dollar per day, and charging two dollars for lodging, under pretense that the night was no part of the day. Seekers of cheap boarding-places in New York should avoid Freeman, a mischievous scoundrel.

ARREST OF A NEGRO STEALER.—A man named Granwell, recently arrested at Miller's Ferry, in Texas, in company with two negroes, was taken to Mexico, and charged with the crime of stealing a horse, and was committed to jail, there to await, as a Texas journal wittily observes, the irrepressible conflict between him and the District Court.

RETURNED TO HIS OLD HABITS.—The eccentric and talented Thomas F. Marshall, whose temperance lectures created quite a sensation a few years ago, has again fallen into the clutches of drink. He recently lectured in Dubuque, Iowa, and was so completely intoxicated that he could not stand. Poor Tom's-a-ight!

CITY NEWS.

The Landlords' Association—Monthly Meeting Last Evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Landlords' Association took place last evening at the Walnut-street House, Dr. F. P. Cahill, of the Madison, presiding. The losses of all the hotels for the month, as reported by the Secretary, were \$176 85, much less than those of the previous month. The list of delinquents will be published as heretofore.

The landlords, having received a *carte blanche* to the Opera-house from Manager Barras, returned a vote of thanks to that gentleman for his courtesy.

Judge Sweeney, the popular proprietor of the Walnut-street House, then invited the members of the Association and the representatives of the Press present to an elegant *petit souper*, which was heartily enjoyed by all. The Judge's oysters and Heidsieck were pronounced excellent.

LAW REPORT.

SUPERIOR COURT.

REFUTAL TO SET ASIDE AN ORDER OF APPOINTMENT.—*Stiggins & Co. vs. Henry Tall*. An attachment was issued on affidavit made that defendant had sold property with intent to defraud his creditors, and that the order of appointment of the assignee was made until after the defendant had fled, the assignee not having accepted. Upon a review of the whole evidence they had come to the conclusion that there was an attempt to defraud creditors and refused the motion to dissolve the attachment.

Edward Kinsey and wife, Isaac Rogers and wife. An action to recover for medicine and professional services furnished by Mrs. Kinsey to Mrs. Rogers for a period of nearly two years, something over \$300 was claimed. The defendant contended that the bill was excessive, and that no good had been derived from the medicine. Judge Storer refused to strike out part of the answer, and then proceeded to hear the case upon submission.

COMMON PLACES.

DIVORCE SUITS.—Judge Carter disposed of the following suits for divorce:
Sophie Lamme vs. Herman Lamme. A decree was allowed on the ground of gross neglect of duty and habitual intoxication.
Frederick Suter, John Suter. A decree allowed on the ground of cruelty and adultery, and petitioner restored to her maiden name.
Nelson Giesey vs. Jane Giesey. Decree entered for gross neglect of duty.
Turner vs. Samuel Turner. Decree on the ground of adultery.

HOME INTEREST.

A. A. Eyster, Clocks, Watches and Jewels, Nos. 341 and 371 Western-row.

When out to-day seeking nice hats and caps for the little ones, be sure and call at H. J. Hendley's, No. 262 Fifth-street, near Western-row.

Daguerrotypy Gallery, south-west corner of Sixth and Western-row, over Hannaford's drug-store. Pictures taken and put in good cases for twenty cents. Warranted to please.

ATTENTION!—Don't forget, when looking around to-day for a new hat, that Hibbert & Bro., at Nos. 5 and 210 West Fifth-street, will sell you one for \$4, equal to those sold by many other dealers for \$8.

PHOTOGRAPHS.—The One-dollar Photographs that have made the Gallery of Dewey & Co., at No. 112 West Fifth-street, famous, continue to attract a large crowd of visitors. Their Melanotypes, also, are very fine.

Do you want a Coat, Vest, Overcoat or pair of Pants? Go to Friel & McGuire's establishment, No. 256 Walnut-street. They are practical workmen, and will take pleasure in extending every courtesy to such as choose to give them a call.

J. Graff & Co. sell, this morning, at 9 1/2 o'clock and 1 o'clock in the evening, at store No. 18 East Fourth-street, the balance of the invoice of Fancy Goods, viz: Marble, Alabaster, Bohemian and China Ware.

MARRIED.

LOVER—HARPER—On Wednesday evening, November 23, at the residence of the bride's father, Dr. H. B. Harper, Mr. Hamilton Harper, jr., to Miss Sarah Harper, all of this city.

FOSTER—HATFIELD—On the 24th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. M. Mitchell, S. N. Fowler, Esq., and Nellie, eldest daughter of Geo. Hatfield, Esq., all of this city.

COOK—BONNEY—In Covington, Ky., on the 24th inst., by Rev. Wm. H. Ryde, Mr. Wm. W. Cook of Sandusky City, Ohio, to Miss Sarah S. Bonney, of the former place.

DIED.

RUSSELL—Yesterday morning, of inflammation of the bowels, Dr. Henry C. Russell, in the thirty-sixth year of his age.

WALTERS—At 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, after a lingering illness, Mr. Charles Walters, Funeral from Mr. B. Day's, Reading, this morning, Nov. 26, at 10 o'clock.

TRACY—At 10 o'clock on Thursday morning, after a short illness, Mrs. Amelia Tracy, aged 44 years.

NEFF—On Friday morning, Nov. 26, of malignant scarlet fever, George W., eldest son of Ambrose W. and Rebecca Neff, in the 11th year.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Geo. W. Neff, No. 149 Broadway, on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 27, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, S. W. Cook, of Sandusky City, Ohio. Friends are invited to attend.

Farlow.

On Thursday evening, Nov. 24, at the age of forty-six years, Mrs. Mary M. wife of B. Farlow, died. The funeral will take place on Sunday, 27th, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, S. W. Cook, of Sandusky City, Ohio. Friends are invited to attend.

Dixon's Sugar-coated Pills.

Purely Vegetable and Pleasant to Use. Prepared and put up by GEO. M. DIXON, Druggist, Corner of Fifth and Main-streets.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

MASS TEMPERANCE MEETING.—Mr. H. W. BRETHERTON, the celebrated and popular Temperance Addresser, will address the people of Cincinnati on SABBATH AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, at the Methodist Hall, corner of Fourth and Walnut-streets. Attend, all you who desire to hear a stirring speech from a highly-gifted man. By order of the Committee. no28-4

OFFICE OF THE PASSENGER-RAILROAD COMPANY OF CINCINNATI.

112 W. corner of Third and Race-streets, October 18, 1859.—This road is now open. Cars will start, at intervals of ten minutes, from 5:30 A. M. until midnight, running eastward on Third-street, from Wood to Lawrence-street, and westward on Third-street, from Lawrence-street to Wood. Citizens will please bear in mind that the cars will invariably cross intersecting streets before stopping for passengers. A. S. KELLOGG, 051-11

CONSUMPTIVE LIFE.

SAVED.—Consumption, primarily and essentially due to a disordered nutrition, can be rationally attacked only by a medicine which restores the nutritive powers. Such a medicine is the PERUVIAN SYRUP, whose chief ingredients are iodine and immediately on the blood and arrests the disease slowly and surely.

Baltimore, July 15, 1859.—I was suffering with a severe catarrhal cough, accompanied by night sweats, loss of appetite and great debility, which was daily increasing. In this state I commenced taking the Peruvian Syrup. In a few days, and before I had used the second bottle, my cough lessened, night sweats ceased, appetite was restored, and with strength and vigor beyond what I had enjoyed for ten years, being able to walk several miles each day without fatigue, while hitherto I could walk only a short distance. A. S. KELLOGG, no16

THE GREATEST WONDER OF THE AGE.

OF THE TREATMENT OF THE CURATIVE POWERS OF PALMER'S VEGETABLE COSMETIC LOTION. Palmer's vegetable referred to. From the slight prickly heat, the most virulent, unsightly and distressing eruptive diseases, its curative properties are made equally manifest. Eruptions of the Face, Tetter, Ringworm, Herpes, Itch, Scaly, Itching, Irritating, or Pustulous eruptions of all kinds are cured by it. The most flattering testimonials are pouring in from all quarters, its fame having spread over not only the whole Western country, but the East also. Price 30 cents, or six bottles for \$2.00. Prepared only by ROLAND PALMER, Agent, no18 No. 36 West Fourth-street.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

V. M. M. L. ASSOCIATION.

Lectures

—BY—

HON. FRANK P. BLAIR,

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 29,

—AND—

EX-SENATOR HENRY S. FOOTE,

Thursday Evening, Dec. 1,

—AT—

Smith & Nixon's Hall.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock.

Phrenological and Physiognomical EXAMINATIONS,

WITH CHARTS AND DESCRIPTIONS OF Character, indicating the Occupation or Profession in life in which each person may best succeed, and be most useful and happy, by Dr. C. HARRIS, No. 104 Fourth-street. (no16-1)

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CALEDONIAN SHADES

199 Vine-st., opposite National Hall.

FINE OLD BOURBON,

Scotch and Irish Whiskies,

Chateau Wine,

Cognac, &c.

Porters and Lager.

All Liquors sold at the SHADES warranted genuine.

DELAND, GOSSAGE & CUYLER,

74 West Fourth-st.

Are now offering a large variety of

DRY GOODS

In all their departments, which, for beauty and novelty, can not be surpassed. Citizens and strangers are invited to examine their stock, as it will be the greatest chance for bargains this season.

ELEGANT STOCK OF DRESS SILKS

Bought at reduced prices, and selling extremely low.

LADIES' CLOAKS, & C.

Winter Fashions, in newest styles.

JUST RECEIVED,

Splendid Velvet Cloaks;

Light Cloaks of every style and price;

Large variety of Shawls and Scarfs;

Gente Trimming Shawls.

WOOL DRESS STUFFS, & C.

All-wool Delaines, 37 1/2c. per yard;

All-wool Plaids, 37 1/2c. per yard;

Printed Delaines at 12 1/2c. and 15c. worth 20c.

HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR.

This department is replete with every variety of Ladies' Gents' and Children's Wear at reduced prices.

Zephyr Wool Opera Hoods.

Nubias, Shawls and Veils;

Super Kid Gloves, in black, white and colors, at 75 cents per pair.

CHEAP EMBROIDERIES.

500 Cambric Sate, at \$1.20, worth \$3;

Job lot Bands and Fittings.

Bed Blankets! Flannels!

10, 11 and 12-4 Whiting Blankets;

Bed and White, Plain and Twilled Wool Flannels;

9, 10 and 12-4 Shaker Skirting Flannels;

Plain Flannels, reduced.

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OPPOSITE PIKE'S OPERA-HOUSE.

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All the American Illustrated and Sporting papers;

London News;

Glasgow Post;

Edinburgh News;

Along with twenty others, on file, free to the public. no28-4

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Have your grates set with the patent before cold weather, or you will regret it. It is poor economy to use your grates set in the old way, burning twice as much coal as you need, and not obtaining half as much heat as the patent gives. The patent will save your money by reducing the consumption of fuel. It will save your health, by giving you pure heat and plenty of it to make your rooms comfortable in all parts. It makes your home cheerful at a trifling cost, which is soon saved in fuel.

We have now a full supply of the Patent Stoves, and will be left at No. 29 West Fifth-street, or sent through mail.

County and State rights for sale on such terms as will pay five hundred per cent., without any risk.

J. B. RYAN & CO.,

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J. BLAKELY, General Agent. no26

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Improved by age, and perfectly pure, as originally imported, designed especially as a safe and reliable medicine for family use.

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Pure Bourbon Whisky.

75 BRLS. PURE BOURBON WHISKY.

For sale in quantities to suit.

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PRESERVES, JELLIES, FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, & C.—JOHN BATES has now on hand a full assortment of Preserves, Jellies, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, English Pickles and Sauces and other foreign delicacies. Also, fine Wines, Brandy, Irish and Scotch Whisky, Jamaica Rum, & C. Havana Cigars of the choicest description. JOHN BATES, no21 National Theater 142sg, Syracuse-st.

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PLAYS! PLAYS!!

FRENCH'S STANDARD DRAMA!

French's Minor Drama.

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